

Transmittal Letter to the United States  
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Attorney's Docket No. : **288/9-2014**  
 U.S. Application No. : To be assigned  
 Filed : Herewith - December 6, 2004  
 Applicant(s) : Melquisedec FRANCISQUINI  
 International Application No. : PCT/BR03/00071  
 International Filing Date : **4 June 2003**  
 Priority Date Claimed : 6 June 2002  
 Title of Invention : **IMPROVEMENT IN METALLIC PROFILE FOR THE COMPOSITION OF STRUCTURES FOR THE ASSEMBLY OF CABINET/ENCLOSURES**

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1.  This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2.  This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3.  This express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371 (f)] at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set forth in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4.  A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5.  A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]
  - a)  is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau)
  - b)  has been transmitted by the International Bureau
  - c)  is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
6.  A translation of the International Application into English [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]
7.  Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]
  - a)  are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau)
  - b)  have been transmitted by the International Bureau
  - c)  have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has **NOT** expired.
  - d)  have not been made and will not be made
8.  A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]
9.  An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)]
10.  A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)]

**Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:**

11.  An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98 ( docs.)
12.  An Assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet (PTO-1595) in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 are included.
13.  A **FIRST** preliminary amendment
- A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment
14.  **THE APPLICANT AND/OR ASSIGNEE, IF ANY, HEREBY CLAIMS SMALL ENTITY STATUS.**
15.  A change of power of attorney and/or address letter
16.  (other items or information) **Clean copy of Application, PCT/IPEA/409, PCT/ISA/210, Application Data Sheet, W003/105552**

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service Express mail under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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17.  The following fees are submitted:

## BASIC NATIONAL FEE [37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)]:

CALCULATIONS

PTO USE ONLY

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO..... \$920.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO [37 CFR 1.482]..... \$730.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> No International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO [37 CFR 1.482] but International search fee paid to USPTO [37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)]..... \$50.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> Neither International preliminary examination fee [37 CFR 1.482] nor International search fee [37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)] paid to USPTO..... \$ 1080.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO [37 CFR 1.482] and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... \$00.00		
<b>ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT:</b>		\$ 920.00
Claims Number filed	Number extra	Rate
Total Claims 18-20=10	x \$ 18. =	180.00
Indep. Claims 1-03=0	x \$ 86 =	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable)		\$
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS:</b>		\$ 920.00
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than [ ] 20 [X] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(e)]		\$
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS:</b>		\$ 920.00
Reduction by ½ for filing by small entity, if applicable. [Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28]		\$ 460.00
<b>SUBTOTAL:</b>		\$ 460.00
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English Translation later than [ ] 20 [ ] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(f)]		
<b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE:</b>		\$ 460.00
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment [37 CFR 1.21(h)] The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (PTO-1595) [37 CFR 3.28, 3.31]. \$ 40.00 per property +		\$
<b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED:</b>		\$ 460.00
		\$
		\$

 A check in the amount of \$ 460.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the deposit account any other fees required with this submission or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No: 04-0838. A duplicate of this form is enclosed.

**NOTE:** Where an appropriate time limit under 36 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive [37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

## SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:

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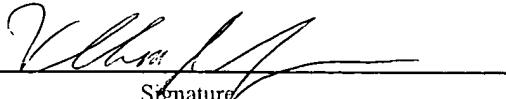
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